IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA CHARLESTON DIVISION

B. P. J., by her next friend and mother, HEATHER JACKSON,

Plaintiff,

v.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 2:21-cv-00316 Judge Joseph R. Goodwin

WEST VIRGINIA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION, HARRISON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION, WEST VIRGINIA SECONDARY SCHOOL ACTIVITIES COMMISSION, W. CLAYTON BURCH, in his official Capacity as State Superintendent, DORA STUTLER, in her official capacity as Harrison County Superintendent, and THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA,

Defendants.

and LAINEY ARMISTEAD,

Intervenor Defendant.

DEFENDANT STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA'S MOTION IN LIMINE TO EXCLUDE OR LIMIT CERTAIN STATEMENTS OF STATE SUPERINTENDENT BURCH AND RELATED PARTIES (HEARSAY, RELEVANCE, AND LIMITATION PURSUANT TO FED. R. EVID. 105)

Defendant, State of West Virginia (the "State"), pursuant to Fed. R. Evid. 801(c), 801(d)(2), 401, 402, and 105, respectfully moves for an order *in limine* to restrict Plaintiff from discussing in any opening statement or otherwise, or presenting statements, admissions, or stipulations of West Virginia Department of Education ("WVDE"), West Virginia State Board of Education ("State Board"), or State Superintendent Clayton Burch's ("Superintendent Burch") regarding H.B. 3293 (the "BOE Parties' Statements"). The BOE Parties' Statements are hearsay

and are not relevant to the validity and constitutionality of H.B. 3293. If such statements are admitted, the State moves for an order *in limine* to only allow them to be used as against the aforementioned parties.

Therefore, the State respectfully requests that its Motion in Limine be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on this 22nd day of June 2022, I electronically filed the foregoing Motion with the Clerk of Court and all parties using the CM/ECF System.

> /s/ Curtis R. A. Capehart Curtis R. A. Capehart